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THE OFFICIAL THIRTY SECONDS TO MARS NEWSLETTER



HOVE, NORWAY



This Week - 06/29/2011

Thirty Seconds To Mars' Drum Setup in Pictures



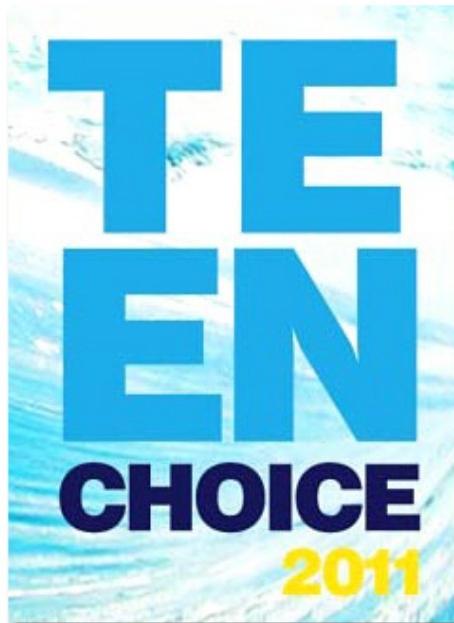
Rhythm caught up with Shannon to take a closer look at his massive Sonor SQ2 drum setup, and to find out what it takes to play the album live. Take a look at the photo gallery and interview with Shannon himself [HERE](#).

PURGATORY: Read the Latest Q&A from MARS

THIRTY SECONDS TO
M A R S

MARS answers several of your submitted questions on the official Thirty Seconds To Mars Message Board. Tomo talks faith, inspirations, playing covers, and more. Read the Q&A on the [boards](#).

MARS Nominated For Teen Choice Award



Thirty Seconds To Mars is nominated for **Choice Music: Rock Group** in this year's Teen Choice Awards! Voting starts today for fans ages 13-19. Vote for MARS [NOW!](#)

SHOW OFF YOUR MARS TATTOO



Check out [Rachel](#)'s Hurricane-themed tattoo, with select lyrics.

Do YOU have a Mars-themed Tattoo? Submit your photo, name, and location to [Thirty Seconds To Mars Tattoo Archive](#) for a chance to be featured in the next installment of Transmission!



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VOTE FOR MARS

US: Choice Music: Rock Group for the [2011 Teen Choice Awards](#)

Serbia: 'This is War' on [MTV Top 20](#)

Netherlands: 'This Is War' on [TMF Top 5](#)

Belgium: 'This Is War' for [TMF](#)

US: 'Closer To The Edge' for [VH1 Vspot Top 20 Countdown](#)

Asia: 'This Is War' on [MTV Chart Attack](#)

UK: Rate 'Closer to the Edge' as the [NME Best Video of 2010](#)

Latin America: Vote 'This Is War' for [MTV Argentina Top 10](#)

Brazil: List MARS for applicable categories for [Multishow](#)

Greece: vote 'This Is War' for [MTV Hit List Hellas](#)

Italy: Vote 'Hurricane' on [MTV Fanclub Charts](#)

MARS IS COMING

UPCOMING TOUR DATES

June 30, 2011 – Borlange, Sweden

Peace & Love Festival – ([General Tickets](#)) ([Official Site](#))

July 2, 2011 - Sopron, Hungary

Volt Festival ([General Tickets](#)) ([Official Site](#))

July 6, 2011 – Athens, Greece

Water Square, Paleo Faliro Olympic Pole
([General Tickets](#)) ([Golden Tickets](#))

NEW TOUR DATES

July 31, 2011 – Taipei, Taiwan

Studio 18, Twinkle Rock Festival – ([General Tickets](#))

Presented by KROQ

September 2, 2011 – Highland, CA - San Manuel Casino ([Presale Tickets](#) – begins Wed 6/29. pw: triad)

([General Tickets](#))

Show is 21+ only

Be sure to visit the [Official Tour Page](#) for all available ticket information regarding current and recently rescheduled dates, and printable promotional flyers.

Use Twitter? Be sure to keep updated with the latest ticket releases and relating announcements by following [@30SECONDSTOMARS](#), and [@golden_tix](#) for overseas and U.S. VIP Ticket Packages.

Use Facebook? Remember to "like" the official Thirty Seconds To Mars Facebook Page by [clicking here](#).

30 Seconds To Mars



THIS IS WAR



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06/30/2011

Borlange, Sweden
[Peace & Love Festival](#)

07/02/2011

Sopron, Hungary
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07/06/2011

Athens, Greece
[Water Square](#)

07/08/2011

Lisbon, Portugal
[Optimus Live Festival](#)

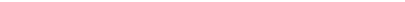
07/09/2011

Bilbao, Spain
[Bilbao BBK Live](#)

07/13/2011

St. Petersburg, Russia
[Tuborg Greenfest](#)

TRIAD GLOBAL ASSAULT

Here is a human triad put together at a mall in Dubai. Great job, UAE Echelon!: 



Compose the Human Triad image with friends and fellow Echelon in high-traffic or populated areas. Stand, sit, or build a pyramid in a Triad formation. Get creative and submit your photos to the [Triad Global Assault Page](#).

AVATAR ART OF THE WEEK

Each week we'll showcase some of the best MARS-themed avatars on twitter, facebook, and other social networks.

Check out this avatar from [@DanteFromMars](#) repping Echelon and MARS:



07/15/2011

Byblos, Lebanon

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
MTV Asia World Stage

07/29/2011
Manila, Philippines
Trinoma Mall

08/12/2011
Nuremberg, Germany
Neremberg Arena

08/16/2011
Belfast, UK
Belsonic

08/18/2011
Belgium
Pukkelpop

08/19/2011
Leudingenhausen, Germany
Area 4 Festival

08/20/2011
Grosspoesna, Germany
Highfield Festival

08/23/2011
Hamburg, Germany

08/24/2011
Mannheim, Germany
SAP A

08/26/2011
Reading, UK

08/27/2011
Leeds, UK
Leeds Festival

08/31/11
Taipei, Taiwan
Twinkle Rock Festival

09/02/11
Highland, CA
San Manuel Casino

09/03/11
Las Vegas, NV
Chateau Gardens

09/04/11

Design your own avatars to promote voting, upcoming shows, or anything MARS related. You can also use or edit the avatars designed by [@thisisthehive](#).

12 STEPS TO MARS

Help us spread the word about Thirty Seconds To Mars and the new album, *This Is War*. Below are the 12 Steps to Mars which you can use on a daily basis to help. [Click Here to Read NOW!](#)



Here are some tools you can print out on your own!

[Flyers](#) • [Mars Stencil](#) • [Full Size Poster](#) • [QR Code](#)

Live in or near a MARS tour stop? Promo on the weeks before the show date in that area! If you have pictures or video from your own street team missions, please send links to thisisthehive@gmail.com.

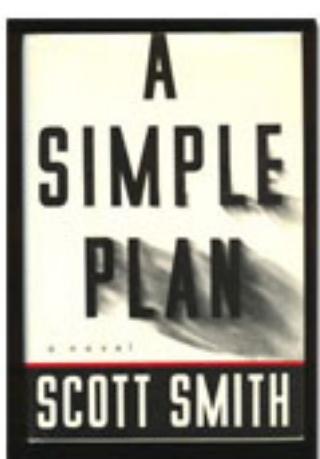


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Weekly Picks From the Band

Read of the Week



A Simple Plan is a novel by American author Scott Smith that was published in 1993. A film based on the novel, directed by Sam Raimi, was released in 1998. *A Simple Plan* is predominantly a moral tale which deals with issues of greed, the American dream and the nature of good and evil. The main characters are depicted as everyday people who have "normal" values and ambitions, and thus their actions are intended somewhat as a cautionary tale.

Lake Tahoe, NV

[MontBleu Resort and Casino](#)

11/02/11

Riga, Latvia

[Riga Arena](#)

11/03/11

Vilnius, Lithuania

[Siemens Arena](#)

11/11/11

Paris, France

[Zenith](#)

11/13/11

Nantes, France

[Zenith](#)

11/15/11

Bordeaux, France

[La Medoquine](#)

11/16/11

Toulouse, France

[Le Phare](#)

11/18/11

Lille, France

[Zenith](#)

11/19/11

Amneville, France

[Le Galaxie](#)

11/20/11

Lyon, France

[Transbordeur](#)

11/22/11

Montpellier, France

[Zenith](#)

11/23/11

Marseille, France

[Le Dome](#)

Movie of the Week



The Tree of Life is a 2011 American drama film written and directed by Terrence Malick, and starring Brad Pitt, Sean Penn and Jessica Chastain. Malick's film chronicles the origins and meaning of life through the eyes of a 1950s Texas family, while also featuring sci-fi and surrealist themes and imagery through space and the birth of life on Earth.

Album of the Week

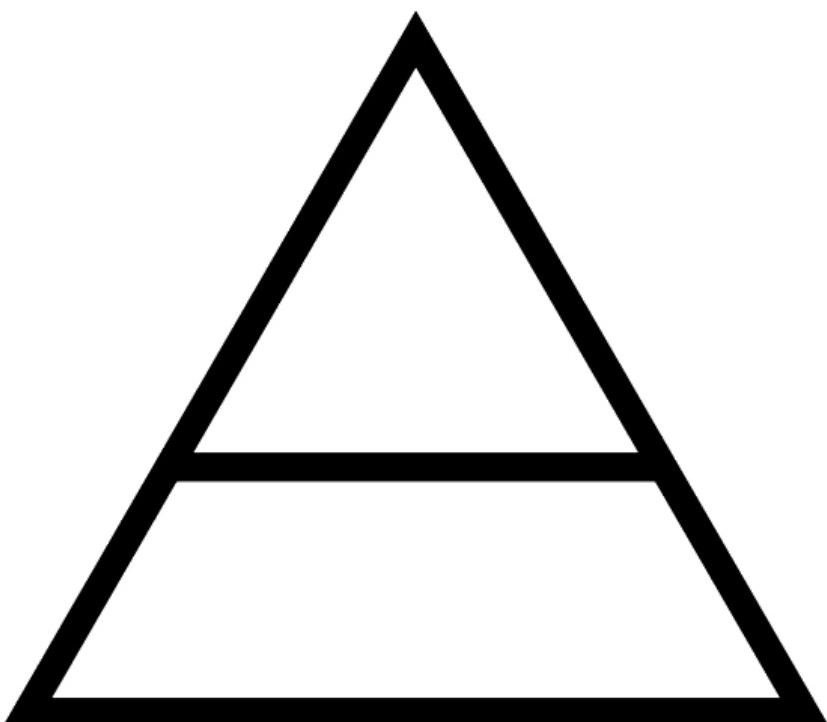


Bon Iver is the self-titled second full-length album from American indie-folk band Bon Iver, released on June 20, 2011 (UK). Bon Iver received positive reviews from most music critics upon its release. At Metacritic, which assigns a normalized rating out of 100 to reviews from mainstream critics, the album received an average score of 85, based on 34 reviews, which indicates "universal acclaim".

Website of the Week



The Gay and Lesbian Leadership Institute offers a variety of training and professional development programs aimed at influencing the careers of gay and lesbian professionals in both politics and business. By building a network of LGBT public leaders, the Leadership Institute is on a mission to achieve full equality for gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgendered people in this country and around the world.



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